



John B. Carpenter Jr.

May 2, 1940 - May 22, 2013

John B. Carpenter Jr., 73, of South Onondaga, New York, died Wednesday, May 22, 2013 at Upstate University Hospital at Community General. Born in Syracuse, New York, he was the son of the late John B. Sr. and Betty Jane (Wilber) Carpenter. John retired in 2002 from J. B. Brady as a technician and in 2008 from Fayetteville-Manlius School District as a school bus driver. He was a member of Nedrow Sportsman Club, South Onondaga Fire Department where he served as President and the Boy Scouts of America Hiawatha Council where he served on various committees. John was a Master for 25 years of South Onondaga Grange #830, Scout Master of Troop #389 of Baldwinsville and Cub Master of South Onondaga Troop. He was a communicant of Corpus Christi Church. John loved his motorcycle and he and his wife, along with his friend and cousin, Orion "Tex" and Ellen Wilber, took numerous trips throughout the United States. John is survived by his wife of 54 years, the former Patricia A. Thayer; sons, Jon (Cindy) of Tully, New York and Gary (Kathleen) of Fairmount, New York; daughter, Jeanne (Ken) Clarke of Jordan, New York; sisters, Virginia (Gary) Grome of South Onondaga, New York and Patricia (Jerry) Hahn of Mexico, New York; and eight grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. Calling hours will be held Saturday, May 25th from 1 to 4 p.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, Inc., 2584 Field Lane, LaFayette, NY 13084. A Funeral Mass will be held Saturday, June 1st at 11 a.m. in Corpus Christi Church, 4468 S. Onondaga Road, Nedrow, NY 13120. Private burial will be in Forest Lawn Memorial

Cemetery, Elmira, NY. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to South Onondaga Fire Department, 3130 Cedarvale Road, Nedrow, NY 13120.

Tribute Wall



“ *Family of John Carpenter:
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

June 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Jeanne, Ken and Nick and all the Carpenter Family,

Our thoughts are with you and your family at this sad time. Please accept our condolences on the loss of your father and grandfather.*

Beth & Bob

May 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Hi Pat, sorry to hear about John. I wanted you to know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Donna

May 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jeanne, Jon and Cindy, so sorry to hear about your Dad. Thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

May 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Patty & Family,

So sorry to hear of John's passing. I am in FL with my daughter Jenniffer at this time. John was always a great man & brightened my day every time I saw him. Your family will be in our thoughts & prayers.

Deepest Sympathy,

*Carole Wright
Parsons Family*

May 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Dearest Pat and all of Johns family,

I am deeply saddened for our loss but grateful to know he is eternally in a place where there is no pain or tears. We will someday join him again. What a glorious day that will be. I have the fondest memories of when we first met as next door neighbors in Henderson and was introduced to salt potatoes for the first time by them. We had so many meals and laughs together. Johns laugh was infectious and would always make you feel special. My heart is heavy with loss but I am thankful to God for knowing such a wonderful person. God be with you Pat and give you and your family strength and comfort at this time!! In Jesus' Precious Name. Amen!

Love you.. Christine XOX

May 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Jon, Gary & Jeanne ~ I am so sorry to hear of your fathers passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. He was a wonderful man and will be missed by so many.

May 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ John was a very special person. Deepest sympathy for you loss.

May 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Pat and family, you all have our deepest sympathy. We hope the great memories you have will help get you through this sad time. John was a good man and will be missed by many.

May 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Jon, Cindy, Chris and Katie,
You are all in our thoughts during this sad and difficult time. Have the assurance that our prayers are with you and all your family. We hope the happy memories of your Dad and Grandpa bring you comfort and give you strength and may the peace of God guard your hearts.

May 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Aunt Pat, Jon, Gary and Jeanne,
I'm so grateful for the visits I had with Uncle John over the past few years. I will always remember his boisterous laughter and kindness. Although all our hearts hurt over the loss of a very special man, it's comforting to know that he is at peace and no longer suffers.

Love,
Theresa and Bob

May 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ The Officers and Members
of the
Mattydale Fire Department
and
Ladies Auxiliary
join in extending
Heartfelt Sympathy
to you and your family at this
Time of Sorrow.

May 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM